

In the Specification

Please rewrite the paragraph on page 10, lines 4-5 as follows:

Fig. 5 illustrates the structure of a ~~related~~ prior art force-applying input device;
and

Please rewrite the paragraph on page 10, lines 6-8 as follows:

Fig. 6 is a flow chart of the steps of calculating rotational angular speed
information in the prior art ~~related~~ force-applying input device.

Summary

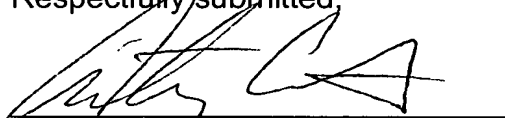
Portions of the specification have been rewritten. No new matter has been added as a result of this amendment.

In the Office Action, the Examiner objected to the description of the figures. More specifically, the Examiner indicated that because Figs. 5 and 6 were labeled "Prior Art," the description of the figures must be changed from "related" to "prior art." Applicant has accordingly made the changes as required by the Examiner to expedite allowance of this application.

Conclusion

Applicant respectfully submits that the application is in condition for allowance. If for any reason the Examiner is unable to allow the application in the next Office Action and believes that a telephone interview would be helpful to resolve any remaining issues, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Anthony P. Curtis', is written over a horizontal line.

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